

# RUTHVEN TELEPHONE EXCHANGE CO.

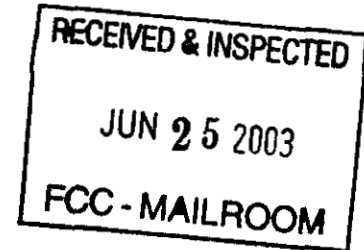
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## Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support 2003

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RE: CC Docket No. 96-45  
**Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support**  
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Ruthven Telephone Exch. will use its **Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support** only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below.

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Ruthven Telephone Exchange Co.	Iowa	351284

Signed,

[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 6-24-03

Ivan Dalen

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